

9/31. (Twice amended) A method for treating an immune-mediated disorder caused by a hyperimmune or autoimmune response in a subject comprising:

C2 administering to the subject at least one immunoregulator, or functional fragment thereof, obtainable from a mammalian chorionic gonadotropin preparation, and having Th1 and Th2 cell regulating activity, said immunoregulator being administered in an amount sufficient to modulate dendritic cell differentiation.

Please add the following new claims:

34/12. (New) A method of treating a disorder caused by a hyperimmune or autoimmune response in a subject, said method comprising:

administering to the subject an active component, or functional fragment thereof, obtainable from a mammalian chorionic gonadotropin preparation so as to treat the disorder.

C3 35/13. (New) A method of treating a disorder caused by a hyperimmune or autoimmune response in a subject, said method comprising:

administering to the subject an active component, or functional fragment thereof, obtainable from pregnant mammalian female urine, said active component or functional fragment thereof capable of modulating the subject's immune system.